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Dear Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

In response to the Office Action dated February 17, 2005, Applicants respectfully request a one-month extension of time in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), up to and including June 17, 2005, in the above-referenced application. In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 (a)(3), the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the extension fee of \$120.00 and any additional fees that may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-2112.

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In response to the Office Action of February 17, 2005, a listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper is below.